



**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY**

**May 27th, 2022**

Here is the earth, here is the sky, here are my friends and here am I.  
 Thank you to the oceans, animals and plants. Thank you to the sun, moon and rain.  
 Thank you to the Wulgurukaba and Bindal people whose land we play and learn on all day.  
 I would like to acknowledge the traditional custodians and their Elder's past, present and emerging.



**A Message from the  
 Director of School Campus**

**National Reconciliation Week** is now underway, and it is one of the most important weeks on our school calendar. It is a time when our school community celebrates and builds on the respectful relationships shared by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples and other Australians. Today we came together as a school community to remember and acknowledge the mistreatment of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people who were forcibly removed from their families and communities, *'The Stolen Generation'*. It was an honour for me to witness our students in action and hear what they had to say about why National Sorry Day is so important to everyone in Australia.

The theme of National Reconciliation Week 2022 is **"Be Brave. Make Change."**

It is a call to all Australians—individuals, families, communities, organisations, and the government—to "Be Brave" and take on the unfinished business of reconciliation in order to "Make Change" for the benefit of all Australians.

I encourage everyone to visit the school's Facebook page to view this week's Primary and Secondary school activities.

Peace and Grace  
 Sharyn Ive



**CHAPPY'S CORNER**

***Be Brave. Make Change.***

Over the next few weeks we are exploring the NRW 2022 theme.

In Primary Chapel this week we looked at **bravery** and **trust** – check out Will (below) trusting his big brother Shane to catch him.

To be brave we need to trust ourselves, and also trust God.

He can teach us to be strong, to forgive and to even say sorry!

From this place we can begin to **make change**.

**Proverbs 3:5 says,**  
***"Trust in the LORD with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways submit to him, and he will make your paths straight."***

On Thursday it was National Sorry Day where we acknowledge the strength of the Stolen Generation Survivors, and continue to reflect on how we can all play a part in the continued healing process for our people and nation.

Peace and blessings,  
 Pastor Andy





### A Message from Head of Primary

Dear Families,

We have recently finalised our NAPLAN testing, all the students did a great job trying their best and applying themselves. It is always a stressful time for students and their families. Staff worked hard to ensure students felt supported and created the right atmosphere for testing. We celebrated with a pizza party for all involved.

Year 3/4 were the first class to have a popcorn party that celebrated perfect attendance for 10 days. Well done, I know it was a lot of work by Mr Crowther and Ms Karen to make that happen. The attendance party this term will be, Picnic in the Park where we will head to Wadda Mooli Park at Elliot Spring and enjoy a picnic. Students will need to reach 90% attendance to receive an invite.

As we work towards the end of term, it is a timely reminder for students to always be kind. Be the type of person in this world that treats everyone with kindness, in words and action. We are working with the students in Years 4/5/6 to always maintain those sportsmanship skills during training, game day and lunch times. Take care  
Mrs Simmonds



### Staff Crazy Sock Day!

Last Friday, our Chappy's got the staff to do something a little bit different, to put a little smile on the students faces. Here are a few photos from our Crazy Sock Day!!



Jamilea Broome

Aidan Lahti

Jevonn Nona



### Year 2/3 Class

Mrs Jorgensen class enjoyed playing Minecraft, as a reward for working so hard!

Going by the students smiles—they had fun!!

### Staff News

On the weekend (21st and 22nd May), Ms Brabon competed in the NQ Games Horse Sports. She won 4 gold medals, 2 silver medals and a bronze medal.

Congratulations!!



## Important Dates

- Reconciliation Week Fri 27 May—3 Jun
- Primary Country and Western Disco Night Wed 1st June
- Yr 4 /5 /6 Touch Footy starts Thur 2nd Jun
- Mabo Day Fri 3rd Jun
- Excursion Yr 9 & 10 Thur 9th Jun
- State of Origin—Team Colours Day Wed 8th Jun
- Athletics Carnival—Whole School Tue 14th Jun
- Secondary Attendance Party Wed 15th Jun
- Primary Attendance Party—Picnic in the Park Thur 16th Jun
- Secondary end of Term Excursion Thur 16th Jun

## A Message from Head of Secondary

Dear Families

On behalf of myself and the whole Secondary school team, I wanted to thank those students who make the extra effort to come to school each day. It's not always easy to be consistent, but when students turn up to school each day it gives them the best chance to take advantage of the fantastic learning opportunities here at Carinity Education Shalom

If families are having trouble or would like some extra support to get students to school on a more regular basis, please reach out, I am always available.

When we work together as a team, we can make lasting changes in the lives of our young people!

God bless

Stuart Todd



## Food Technology Class

The Yr 9 Food Technology students have been creating affordable and healthy take-away options. They looked amazing and tasted even better!



## Bus Messages

### Morning Pick Up:

Students must board the bus from their registered address unless prior arrangements have been made through the Office at least two (2) days in advance of pick up.

It is the responsibility of the parent/carer to arrange for the student to get to school, if the student is at a different address.

### Afternoon Drop Off:

Students will be dropped off at the address that is listed on their enrolment unless parents/carers have notified the office of any changes by calling **the office on 4445 2100 before 1.00pm.**

**It is not the responsibility of the morning bus driver to notify the office of any changes.**

## Engagement Unit Art Class

The students in the Engagement Unit came together and finished their collaborative artwork. In this unit of work they explored the elements and principles of design by taking a single line (of wire) and making a 3-dimensional ant out of it. They also drew a favourite food and created a life-like sculpture of it for the ants to enjoy at their picnic.

Lots of fun was had posing the ants with their food and the picnic basket. Great work team!



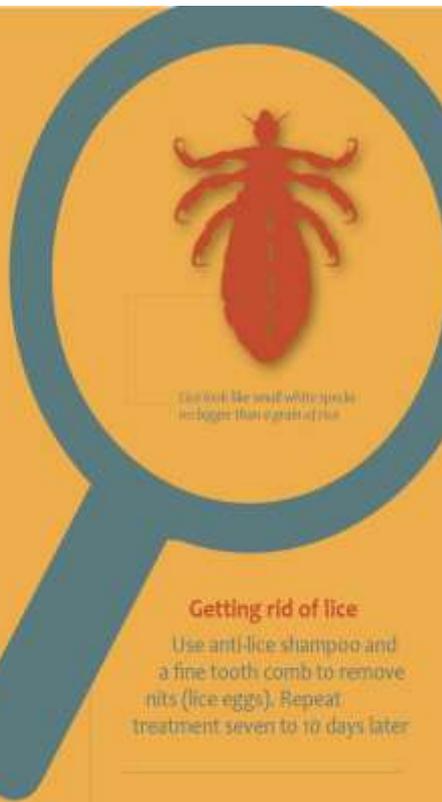
## Year 8 Classroom News

Our Year 8 students were tasked with designing and building a fishing lure to attract a catch in Townsville. They followed the design framework and researched fishing spots in the area, how to create stencils for spray paint, and all things lures! Veronica ended up snagging a fish on her designed lure, however it took off with it! Pollyanna later caught her lost lure – so I guess that we can say that we caught something! Overall, it was a great excursion, despite some students getting a little wet...



# the Facts of Lice

Children in preschool and elementary school are most likely to get head lice — those tiny, wingless parasitic insects that feed on tiny amounts of blood drawn from the scalp:



### Getting rid of lice

Use anti-lice shampoo and a fine tooth comb to remove nits (lice eggs). Repeat treatment seven to 10 days later



Lice cannot jump or fly, the only way for them to spread is **direct contact**



Wash all sheets, towels, and clothing that you've used in the last two days with hot water

Don't let children share hats, combs, or other personal items



Don't hang hats, scarfs, or personal items too close together at school



You should be checking your child's hair for lice once a week, whether there is a known infestation or not. That will help prevent spread, and avoid reinfestation if a problem is uncovered.

**Kyle Bradford Jones, M.D.**  
Family Physician

## Pumpkin soup with a twist

### Ingredients

- 2 cups butternut pumpkin, skin and seeds removed, chopped
- 1 potatoes, chopped
- 1 onion, chopped
- 1 teaspoons of cumin
- 1 teaspoon of crushed lemon grass
- ½ teaspoon chilli flakes (optional)
- 1 teaspoon of crushed ginger
- 1 teaspoon of crushed garlic
- 2 cups Campbell's Real Stock Vegetable
- 1 cup of coconut cream
- ½ cup of fresh cream
- Salt and pepper
- A few springs of chopped coriander to serve

### Method

**Step 1** Place pumpkin, potatoes, onion, spices, coconut cream and stock in a large pot. Season with salt and pepper. Cook on a simmer for 20/30min or until vegetables are tender.

**Step 2** Turn off the heat . Using a food processor or stick blender, process until smooth.

**Step 3** Stir through the fresh cream, and season to taste. Then enjoy!



## Feeling Unsafe?

**GO AND TELL**

**EVERY STUDENT HAS THE RIGHT TO FEEL SAFE.**

Sometimes you may feel unsafe around adults or other students at school or away from school.

**IF YOU DO NOT FEEL SAFE THERE ARE THINGS YOU CAN DO:**

**TELL AN ADULT YOU TRUST**

REMEMBER, Nothing is so awful that you cannot talk about it with someone.

SOME OF THE PEOPLE YOU MIGHT CHOOSE:

- THE PRINCIPAL
- A PARENT
- A TEACHER
- SAFE PERSON
- A COUNSELLOR



Mrs Ive  
Director of Campus

Mr Stuart Todd  
Head of Secondary

Mrs Simmonds  
Head of Primary

Pastor Andy  
Pastor

**If you don't get the help you need at first, don't give up! Keep reporting your concerns until something is done and you feel safe again.**

**REMEMBER EVERY STUDENT HAS THE RIGHT TO FEEL SAFE ALL THE TIME!**